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three tables giving figures for the planned imports of non-ferrous metals into East Germany in 1957.

Table I gives the original plan, the revised plan, and the countries of origin for the import of metal ingots.

Table II gives the same information for rolled metal products.

Table III gives the 1957 plan and the countries of origin for the import of metals.

Comments:

1. The revised plan was to go into effect 3 January 1957, but the figures given for planned imports from the various countries of origin have not yet been adjusted in accordance with the revisions made. It is intended that adjustments be proportional in each case.
2. In comparison to previous years, an effort has been made to include as many countries of origin as possible for each metal. This appears to be a deliberate policy resulting from serious hold-ups due to late delivery by individual countries in the past.

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TABLE I
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METAL INGOTS	ORIGINAL PLAN	REVISED PLAN	U.S.S.R.	POLAND	ROMANIA	JUGOSLAVIA	CHINA	N.KOREA	N.VIETNAM			FREE CURRENCY
COPPER	14,750	14,300	14,750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LEAD	34,230	34,230	29,470	-	700	120	-	1,000	30	-	2,350	-
ZINC (foundry)	540	800	190	-	-	-	320	-	50	-	-	-
NICKEL	1,400	1,500	1,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SELENIUM	4	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALUMINIUM (foundry)	17,000	17,000	17,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MAGNESIUM (foundry)	1,400	1,400	1,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ANTIMONY	800	800	-	-	-	-	800	-	-	-	-	-
MANGANESE	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
CADMIUM	140	140	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
COBALT	80	125	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44
SILICON	50	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
REL BRASS	750	750	750	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CAST ZINC ALLOYS	600	600	-	600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MERCURY	245	270	210	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Comment: Unit of measure not given; it is assumed to be metric tons.

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TABLE II
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<u>ROLLED METAL PRODUCTS</u>	1957 ORIGINAL PLAN (in metric tons)	1957 REVISED PLAN	U.S.S.R.	C.S.R.	POLAND	CHINA			FREE CURRENCY
BRONZE	140	140	-	-	-	-	-	-	140
ALUMINIUM	550	650	500	50	-	-	-	-	-
ZINC	1,500	1,500	-	-	1,500	-	-	-	-
TUNGSTEN STRIPS	1.2	1.2	-	-	-	-	0.55	0.55	0.1
MOLYBDENUM STRIPS	0.1	0.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.1
CHROME-NICKEL WIRE	20	20	12	-	-	-	8	-	-

TABLE III

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<u>PART</u> <u>MATERIALS</u>	<u>1957</u> <u>PLAN</u> (in kgs.)	<u>U.S.S.R.</u>		<u>FREE CURRENCY</u>
TITANIUM	1,500	1,450	-	50
BERYLLIUM	200	60	-	140
GERMANIUM	10	10	-	-
INDIUM	10	10	-	-
GALLIUM	5	5	-	-
ZIRCONIUM	600	250	-	-
TANTALUM	1,000	-	-	1,000

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